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for Manila granted original bill of health. Crew vaccinated and bathed and their clothing disinfected. The 8 passengers, seamen transferred direct from the U. S. S. *Wilmington* for conveyance to Manila, showed evidences of recent vaccination and having had no communication with the shore they were exempted from the measures applied to the crew. All were examined immediately prior to sailing. April 29, steamship *Taisang* for Manila, crew 64, cabin passengers 16, steerage passengers 150, was granted original bill of health. Crew and steerage passengers bathed and effects disinfected. All on board examined immediately prior to sailing. Manifest viséed for 1,309 packages of freight. Two cases of trachoma held.

Week ended May 7. Steamship *Yingchow* for Manila, crew 56, cabin passengers 41, steerage passengers 128. Crew and steerage passengers bathed and effects disinfected. One cabin and 1 steerage passenger rejected.

A death from pneumonic plague occurred April 14 in the person of a foreigner. A case of bubonic plague was reported in the city of Amoy during the week ended April 23 and 1 during the week ended April 30. Dead rats are seen in the streets of Amoy. Plague is reported present in a district 60 miles distant from Amoy.

COSTA RICA.

LIMON, Fruit Port—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Mengis reports:

Bills of health issued as follows:

WEEK ENDED MAY 28.

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers from this port.	Passengers in transit.
May 22	Limon	Boston	43	1	.....
23	Prinz Aug. Wilhelm	New York	105	121	10
25	Harry T. Inge	New Orleans	27	.....	.....
26	Hippolyte Dumois	Mobile	25	.....	.....
27	Parismina	New Orleans	82	14	21
28	Preston	Southern port, via New Orleans.	29	.....	.....

CUBA.

CIENFUEGOS—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Suarez reports, June 3 and 6:

Week ended May 28. Vessels inspected, 2. Bills of health issued, 2. Week ended June 4. Vessels inspected, 8. Bills of health issued, 8. Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected, 267. Passengers in transit, 4.

No quarantinable disease reported.

HABANA—Inspection of Vessels—Status of Leprosy in Cuba.

Passed Assistant Surgeon de Valin reports, June 7:

Week ended June 4. Bills of health issued, 31. Vessels inspected and passed, 27. Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected, 1,041. Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected, 1,169.

The report of the mosquito brigade shows 21,144 houses inspected and 28,749 water receptacles petrolized or suppressed during the 10 days ended May 31.

The department of sanitation reports 2 deaths from leprosy and 337 cases remaining under treatment in the island of Cuba for the 10 days ended May 10. No quarantinable diseases were reported in the island during the week ended June 4.

MATANZAS—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, May 30 and June 6:

Week ended May 28. Bills of health granted to 7 vessels bound for the United States. Week ended June 4. Bills of health granted to 9 vessels bound for the United States.

The department of sanitation reports the inspection of 3,046 houses from May 20 to 31. No quarantinable diseases reported.

SANTIAGO—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, June 2:

Week ended May 28. Bills of health issued to 4 vessels bound for the United States and its dependencies.

The department of sanitation reports 3,107 houses inspected. No quarantinable disease was reported present during the week.

ECUADOR.

GUAYAQUIL—Inspection of Vessels.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Parker reports, May 16:

Week ended May 14. Bills of health issued, 2. Vessels fumigated, 2. Members of crews inspected, 116. Cabin passengers inspected, 34. Steerage passengers inspected, 62. Pieces of baggage fumigated, 75. Pieces of baggage inspected and passed, 47. Certificates for hides issued, 3.

GUATEMALA.

LIVINGSTON, Fruit Port—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ames reports:

Week ended May 28. No vessels cleared from this port. *Stegomyia calopus* numerous. Water containers not oiled.

PUERTO BARRIOS, Fruit Port—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ames reports:

WEEK ENDED MAY 28.

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers from this port.	Passengers in transit.
May 23	Cartago	New Orleans, via Belize	82	15	5
25	John Wilson	Mobile	17		
26	Belize	do	19		
27	Fjell	New Orleans, via Belize	20	1	1
27	Frutera	New York, via Jamaica	22	10	

Temperature taken of all persons on vessels sailing for gulf ports. No quarantinable diseases exist in this port or vicinity. *Stegomyia calopus* are numerous.